IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED 24.08.2006

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THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE P.JYOTHIMANI

W.P.No.27499/2006

1.D.Shanmugavelu
2.K.Swamikannu
3.N.Mohandoss
4.S.Arunkumar
5.G.Pulugandi
6.D.K.Gunasekaran
7.S.Sankaran .. Petitioners

Vs

The State of Tamilnadu
rep.by its Secretary,
Handloom and Handicrafts Department,
Fort St.George, Chennai 600009. .. Respondent

Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India praying for a writ of mandamus directing the respondent to pass orders on the representation dated 15.5.2006 seeking arrears of salary for the respective periods mention therein in so far as the petitioners herein are concerned, within a time frame.

For Petitioners:Mr.L.Chandrakumar
For Respondent :Mr.A.Edwin Prabhakar, GA

ORDER

The writ petition is filed for a direction against the respondent to pass orders on the petitioners' representation dated 15.5.2006 seeing arrears of salary for the respective periods.

2.In spite of the earlier order passed by this Court in W.P.No.27354/2005 dated 25.8.2005, while dismissing the same, making an observation against the respondent to pass orders expeditiously, the respondents has not passed any order. In view of the same, the petitioners made further representation dated 15.5.2006 in respect of payment of arrears of salary for the respective periods.

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3.Heard the learned counsel for the petitioners and the learned Government Advocate, taking notice on behalf of the respondent.

4.Considering the said facts and circumstances of the case, the respondent is directed to pass orders on the petitioners' representation dated 15.5.2006 within a period of four weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.

5. The writ petition is disposed of with the above direction. No costs.

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Sd/
Asst.Registrar

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Sub Asst.Registrar

To

The Secretary,
Handloom and Handicrafts Department,
State of Tamilnadu
Fort St.George, Chennai 600009.

1 cc To The Government Pleader, SR.38359.
1 cc To Mr.L.Chamdrakumar, Advocate, SR.38188.

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